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Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 05725.0306-00

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

In re Application of: )  
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Boudiaf BOUSSOUIRA et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1617  
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Application No.: 09/083,150 ) Examiner: Edward J. WEBMAN  
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CPA Filed: March 29, 2001 )  
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For: COSMETIC USE OF SELECTED )  
POLYAMINO POLYMERS AS )  
ANTIOXIDANTS )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING**

Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.194(b), Appellants request an oral hearing.

This request is timely since it is made within two-months after the mailing date of the Examiner's Answer.

A check for the required fee of \$290.00 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(d) is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,


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